# **FISCAL NOTE**

# HB 2952 - SB 3031

February 6, 2008

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires water and waste water treatment authorities to comply with the "County Purchasing Law of 1983." This would result in competitive bidding for any purchase, lease, or lease-purchase made by the authority if the amount of the purchase meets the competitive bidding thresholds established in the "County Purchasing Law of 1983."

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

### Decrease Local Expenditures - Net Impact - Exceeds \$25,000

# Assumptions:

- Requiring water and wastewater treatment authorities to competitively bid certain purchases will result in an increase in local government expenditures related to the administrative costs associated with such procurements.
- Requiring water and wastewater treatment authorities to competitively bid certain purchases will result in a decrease in local government expenditures due to achieving better prices for goods.
- The net impact to local government expenditures is a decrease estimated to exceed \$25,000.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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